



25th Annual SERR Conference February 19-21, 2003

Southeastern Recreation Research Conference Asheville, North Carolina

The 25th Anniversary of SERR

The Southeastern Recreation Research (SERR) Conference provides an exceptional opportunity for researchers and managers within the park and recreation professions of the southeast to learn and discuss each other's projects, needs, and partnerships in an open information-sharing environment that supports both formal and informal forums.

Graduate students, faculty, agency planners, land managers, and researchers are all encouraged to attend the conference and submit a paper proposal for presentation. Papers will be presented in a large classroom setting. Audiovisual support will be available in the form of a laptop and projection unit, overhead, and slide projector. Each paper will be given 20-minutes for presentation and five minutes for discussion.

This year's conference will be hosted at the Renaissance Hotel in downtown Asheville, North Carolina (One Thomas Wolfe Plaza, 1-800-468-3571). A block of rooms have been reserved at the conference site on a first-come first-served basis for the 19th and 20th at a rate of \$79.00/night. In order to secure a room at this rate you must book by 1/19 and mention the SERR conference. The downtown area offers numerous opportunities for lodging, dining, music, and craft & antique shopping. As well, in the not too far off distance are the Great Smoky mountains, the Biltmore Estate, and many a ski resort (www.skinorthcarolina.com). Other nearby accommodations can be found on the web: www.asheville.com

The conference fee continues to remain a bargain at \$25.00 for students, \$70.00 for non-students, and \$25.00 for retired non-students. We can only accept cash or checks made out to Southeastern Recreation Research (SERR) for payment of conference fees.

For more information please visit the 25th SERR conference website:
www.srs.fs.fed.us/serr